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AT TWILIGHT.

In the old home alone at twilight gray,
As night folds her robes o'er Thanksgiving day,
I am dreaming again by the firelight's glow
The beautiful dreams of the long ago—

Long ago, when my wayward feet
Wandered mid flowers wild and sweet,
When hearts were golden and skies were blue
And life reflected each glorious hue,

When the dearest joy of the gladsome earth
Was the blush of arbutus, the violet's birth,
And the deepest of all my childish woes
Was watching the bright petals fall from the rose.

Pale is the blossom I blushing knew
And its leaf overflowing with tears of dew.
The violet sobs as she droops her head,
"You loved me not as you loved the dead."

Rambling o'er mossy ruins gray
Is the eglantine of the years, and today
Its bright thorns gleam in the autumn sun,
But its blossoms have fallen one by one.

Ah, I know full well, for my thoughts will stray,
As I sit alone in the shadows gray,
Though the arbutus blossoms and sweetbrier grows,
That every petal is gone from the rose.
—Rose VanB. Speece in Scranton Tribune.

HOW OLD MAN HAINES LOST PATIENCE.

The red gentleman with the feathers in his hat and the telegraph wire bracelets became too importunate in his demands for cigarettes, and as he had been detected in the act of appropriating a wooden handled skinning knife, valued $1.50, five minutes before the post trader walked around the counter and kicked him energetically out of the store and half way around the hay corral. It spoke volumes for the post trader's activity that he was able to do this, for it is no easy matter to keep within kicking range of a properly scared Crow Indian for the distance that he covered, to say nothing of performing the act itself. Therefore the post trader was breathless when he returned and had to lie on the counter with his head on a bolt of pink striped calico to recover himself. The old bullwhacker, who had been watching the race from his seat on a nail keg, with a grin on his wrinkled mahogany visage, complimented the advance agent of commerce on his achievement.

"I wuz suthen of a foot racer myself when I wuz younger an limberer than what I am now," he said, "but I dunno that I ever seen the time that I could have done better than that. I'm regardin it purely as a physical feat, however. I'm not sayin that you showed a strikin amount of jedgment. When Young Man Afraid of His Breechclout has got you knotted up with green rawhide an the squaws are fixing the fire fer the grand barbecue, mebbe you will regret your pernishus activity an cuss the day that you humbled the proud spirit of the noble Injun warrior. Is this shebang insured?"

"You was never introduced to me," rejoined the post trader. "I've got a half inch of callous on the soles of my feet, an I come into this country from the headwaters of Bitter creek along of J. W. Hancher an Ed Phernetton an the rest of them desperadoes. I've got relatives by marriage among the Crows and Ogallalas, an I've drunk more alkali water an eat more dog an buffalo berry than any white man this side of the big Mizzoura. I didn't bring my outfit in here in the spring of '99. What did you expect me to do—give that greasy, tin tagged coyote my stock of cigarettes to keep him good tempered?"

"An if you had you wouldn't have forfuted his friendship," returned the old bullwhacker. "As it is I've got an idee his heart is bad, an he won't come an see you no more. An Injun has got his feelin's the same as a white man has, an I reckon you would git hostile if any hombre booted you from blazes to breakfast because you ast him fer the means of soothin your nerves. You injered that Crow in a sensitive spot, Ike."

"I done my best to," said the post trader.

"He may belong to the Badface band an have hair in his tepee," continued the old bullwhacker in the same grave tone of reproof, "but at the same time he's a human, an as a human it's your play to extend the right hand of fellership to him instid of the sole of your number nine. Hain't they got no Sunday school liberries out on Bitter creek? Hain't you never read about the settler who found a poor, starin redskin out in the snow plum exhausted an took him inter his shack an fed him up a whole lot an warmed him an then turned him loose with a grub stake, an when the Two Kettle outfit exhoomed the tomahawk an raised merry Cain scalpin an burnin through the paleface settlements an the good hearted granger was raked in the Injun that he had saved sashays in an rescoos him from a turr'ble death?"

"I've read them stories," said the post trader.

"But you don't believe 'em," said the old bullwhacker. "You ain't sanguine concernin the good that there is in your feller man. If you git a bad deal, you decline to chip in an lay down your hand instid of callin fer cards an drawin to the ace."

"I don't draw to no two spot in the hope of completin a flush."

"Well, my the'ry is that there ain't no galoot so low down but if you treat him with kindness an keep him close herded he will show the good that's in him. Did I ever tell you about old man Haines an Gus Minnick? Well, it goes to prove what I wuz a-sayin. Old man Haines lived out on Blue creek apiece above where it empties into the Platte, opposite the mouth of Ash Hollow, where Harney cleaned up the Sioux. He wuz jest about the most benev'lent old duck that ever ripped up tough sod with a balky team of bulls. Long sufferin wuzn't no name fer him. He had two boys that wuz jest like him, an his ole woman wuz worse'n he wuz.

"One fine, cloudy evenin Gus Minnick an Todd Blakey comes along an rustles ten head of old man Haines' ponies an wuz hikin south with 'em when they met up with a crowd of inquirin strangers who were driftin back down Prairie Dog into Kansas after an unsuccessful pursoot of some north bound hoss thieves. The boys had too many brands in their bunch, an one of the stranglers reckernized Blakey, so they tied their feet under their horses' bellies an headed fer the nearest timber. They give Blakey the first swingin an wuz adjustin the grass rope to Gus' neck when old man Haines comes up with his biggest boy, Arch. They had been hot an close on the trail all the time.

"As soon as they explained who they wuz an identerfied their ponies, the boss strangler allowed that there wuzn't no reason why the ceremonies shouldn't perceed, an he throwed the other end of the rope over the limb.

"'Why,' says the old man, 'you hain't goin to hang that poor boy, air you?'

"'I reckon I am,' says the boss strangler, cheerful an gay.

"'I don't believe it helps a man to hang him,' says Haines. 'You jest give him up to me, an I'll take him back to the ranch with me an surround him with moral influences an keep him out of bad company. He's got good in him, an I'll bring it out of him an make a useful citerzen of him.'

"Well, the long an short of it wuz that he begged so loud that they let Minnick go, an old man Haines started back with him. On the way he talked to Gus like a father an told him how wrong it wuz to rustle cayuses when he could get 'em himself by workin honust fer 'em. He made Gus a present of the ten that he had stole as a starter an offered him good wages to work on the ranch.

"Gus staid there fer two months, an then he got inter a argyment with the biggest boy about breakin a colt an slot him up an lit out. Old man Haines wuz real provoked about it, but he jumped on a horse an put out after Minnick an overtook him at Box Elder. As soon as Gus seen him he throwed down on him with a Winchester, but the old man told him to behave himself an quit monkeyin with firearms.

"'I sh'd think you'd seen the evil of them sort of actions after killin Henry,' he said.

"'Did I kill him?' says Gus.

"'Yes, you did,' says the old man as severe as he knowed how. 'An I sh'd think you'd be ashamed of yourself. I don't wonder you felt as if you didn't want to look me in the face after sech actions. All the same, I don't want you stragglin off where you'll get inter bad comp'ny, so you jest come right back home with me. We've got to have them colts broke, an we're short handed now.'

"Well, Gus knowed how forgivin the old man wuz, an he went back, an they all avoided the subjec' of Henry, so's not to hurt his feelin's. He staid on a month longer, an then because the old woman burned his cakes fer him he brained her with the skillet. The other boy told him that that wuzn't no way to do, an Gus got mad an massacreed him with the butcher knife an then set fire to the house an lit out.

"When old man Haines got back an found out what had happened, he said that it wuz enough to make a man lose patience, but he wuz sot in his ways, an he said that he would make a good citizen of Gus in spite of hill an high water. So he went out after him again an coaxed him back, an everybody said that Gus was a changed man from that time forward, as meek as Moses an honust as the day."

"Are they livin there together yet?" inquired the post trader, with some interest.

The old bullwhacker took a large chew of tobacco before replying. Then he said: "I wuz hopin you wouldn't ast me that question, becuz it might seem to milertate against my the'ry. The truth is that the old man sent Gus to town one day, an Gus come back with a jug of whisky fer himself, but he forgot the old man's smokin terbacker. The old man said that it showed selfishness an ingratitude on Gus' part, an he allowed that he must be poor material anyway, an he had done the best that he could with him, but that settled it. They wuz standin by the woodpile at the time, an the old man had the ax. I come along jest in time to assist at the funeral.

"Still I never took the old man's view. I reckon that Gus jest forgot."
—Chicago Record.

Good Advice: Hard to Follow.

Extreme worry comes from trying to bear all the cares of a lifetime at once instead of letting each day's evil be sufficient unto itself. If we could live our whole life in a few hours, it might be consistent to think it all over in one night. There is no past, there is no future, for doing or accomplishing. The present time alone is for action, and the order is and always will be one thing at a time. This one thing must be done on the instant in whatever circumstances we find ourselves.

Not that we should be forgetful of the past or careless of the future. The former has been our faithful schoolmaster; the latter holds for us the issues of life. That we may act intelligently in the present it is essential for us to look forward as far as the future can reasonably be predicted, but not to worry.

A degree of anxiety may be founded upon facts that point almost inevitably to future difficulties, but a large part of the forecast of trouble is groundless, as is proved when things do not turn out as expected. Overanxiety is always crossing bridges before they are reached, and it will stay awake all night borrowing trouble from the remote future.—Chautauquan.

Treatment of Burns.

Burns may be ordinary, but they lose none of their smart because of the ease with which they are acquired. Some persons seem to have a perfect genius for getting burned. If they strike a match, it breaks and scorches them, while a visit to the kitchen ends in a burn from the oven or a scald from hot water or steam. Of course the right thing to do with a burn is to get it away from all contact with the air and to do this with all possible haste.

The necessary articles for the treatment should be on hand, and they are baking soda—not washing soda, notice—fresh fat of some sort and several thicknesses of cotton cloth. It is an excellent plan to have a bottle of carron oil ready for such emergencies. Carron oil is made by shaking together equal parts of linseed oil and limewater. If the skin is broken over the burn, use the oil without the soda. Otherwise moisten the soda with olive oil or sweet oil or even lard or cold cream and apply it. Over this wrap the cloth. Cotton batting is often used for covering the burn and keeping out the air, but it is not to be recommended. It is not a good plan to use flour, dusting it over a burn, for it frequently hardens and is of little comfort.

One of the simplest measures for a superficial burn is to apply the white of an egg with a soft piece of old muslin, adding more as it dries.

An Anecdote of Verdi.

The first production of Verdi's opera "Othello" took place at Milan, and all the prominent musical critics of Europe foregathered in the Cathedral City in honor of the occasion. Among them was a Parisian journalist of wide reputation and admitted authority in the musical world. His first care on his arrival in Milan was to seek out Verdi and ask to be allowed to be present at one of the final rehearsals.

The composer received him with extreme politeness, but replied that he could not possibly grant his request, as he had decided that the rehearsals were to be absolutely private, and he could not make an exception in the favor of any one journalist, however distinguished.

The Paris critic, far from pleased at this answer, protested that in these circumstances his account of the opera might not be all he should like it to be. "You see," he explained to the composer, who affected not quite to understand, "I shall have to telegraph my article the same evening. It will necessarily be hastily written, and the impression in Paris the next day may suffer in consequence."

But Verdi was more than equal to the occasion. "My dear sir," he made answer, "I do not write for 'the next day.'" The critic bowed himself out.

Utilizing an Ancestor.

A self made man with a taste for art, thinking he would like to have about his house some marble presentments of his ancestors, ordered of a fifth rate sculptor a bust of his grandfather.

In due time it was sent home, and after a few days, his admiration being exhausted, the wealthy man sent for his plumber.

"I don't mind confessing to you," said the former, "that I don't appreciate the fine arts unless they are turned to some useful purpose. Now, I have something to suggest to you."

And he proceeded to give some instructions to the tradesman.

A week later, on the anniversary of his birthday, the millionaire pointed out with pride to his guests in the middle of his conservatory the bust of his grandfather, from the top of whose head rose gracefully a jet of limpid water, falling into a marble basin in which some fine gold and silver fish disported themselves.—Christian Endeavor World.

The costliest theater ticket was the first one sold for the Jenny Lind concert in New York in 1850. It brought $650 and was bought as an advertisement.

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SONOMA, MAY 25, 1901.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

SONOMA COUNTY still owes $117,000 of the $800,000 subsidy bonds voted the San Francisco and North Pacific Railroad twenty-five or thirty years ago to aid in the construction of the road. The payment of the principal and interest on these bonds has been a heavy tax on the county, but for all that Sonoma's tax rate is extrmely low when compared with most of the other counties of the State. These railroad bonds are now being redeemed at the rate of $25,000 and $30,000 per annum which will wipe out this indebtedness completely in the course of a few more years. With this bonded indebtedness out of the way Sonoma county's tax rate will undoubtedly be less than that of any county in California. We might here add that when these bonds were voted in the early seventies the people went wild over railroad building and many counties were almost bankrupt by voting subsides to the railroads to secure better transportation facilities. Many of these counties to this day are groaning under this burden and will continue to do so for many years yet to come. They can stand it, however, for without the railroads they would have fared much worse—they would probably have been taken off the map.

THE shooting of Joe Schilling by Frank L. Brown, near Melitta, on Friday of last week, if the published accounts be true, was justifiable, and we are at a loss to understand why Brown was not discharged on a preliminary examination and the county saved the expense of a costly trial that will end in an acquittal anyhow. The accounts say that Schilling drove up to the Brown ranch, during the absence of Brown. He was armed with a rifle and compelled Mrs. Brown to seek shelter inside her house behind locked doors. Her husband, observing the antics of Schilling from a near-by hill where he was chopping wood, went to his wife's assistance, making his way into the house by a rear door. Upon opening the front door of his domicle he was confronted by Schilling, who fired at him with a rifle, the ball barely missing his would-be victim's head. Brown thereupon returned the fire with a double-barreled shot gun loaded with small shot, winging his adversary and seriously but not fatally wounding him. Upon the theory that every man's home is his castle and that he has a right to defend it against an assault of this nature, for the life of us we cannot see how a conviction can be secured if this be the true story—and witnesses say that it is.

THE best time to answer a letter is while you are under its spell, and before your interest in it has grown cold. Home letters should be regular. The glow and impulse of love, stimulated anew, will be responsively stirred, if the reply is not too long deferred. I am always sorry for families who suffer the lines of communication between them to weaken or rust because of carelessness in writing, and many a time my heart has ached for the disappointment visible in an old face, when some young Jean or Molly, whose letter is wistfully anticipated, has forgotten to send it at the right time. — *Margaret E. Sangster in The Ladies' Home Journal for June.*

AT the managers meeting of the Sonoma County Board of Trade held on Monday afternoon a number of important communiations were presented by the Secretary, Arthur S. Luce. The most important of these was from an eastern colony association seeking seven thousand acres of land for the establishment of a colony. The colony will be comprised of fifty families. The Board has been asked to submit to the association particulars relative to available tracts of this magnitude.

AN effort is being made to have Governor Gage commute the death sentence of Thos. Owens, who killed Ed. Hale at Lytton Springs about a year ago, to imprisonment for life.

BRESCI, the assassin of King Humbert of Italy, has fallen by his own hand.

THE OBSERVER.

'Twixt two towns I heard but recent
A dialogue that was really decent.
Sonoma and Petaluma over the 'phone
Talked in serious semi-tone :
" Hello, Sonoma ! You're not in it,"
Petaluma did thus begin it.
" We've got the cannery with more money,
'Tis really nothing very funny.
We're going to can fruit galore
And make you people feel mighty sore."

For this Sonoma would not stand,
But helloed louder than the band :
" O, Petaluma, you're not such winners
When it comes to capturing tinners ;
You haven't fruit on any tree,
Nothing but cock-a-doodle-dee ;
Incubators, chickens, geese,
So you'd better hold your peace.
Petaluma, raise and *can* your chickens
Or Sonoma with you will raise the dickens."

The Christian spirit is not only a spirit of devotion and love—a spirit of all that is true and beautiful—but it is above all a progressive spirit. Whereas, yesterday the Puritan restrained and said nay to all that conformed not strictly to the text. To-day such men as Rev. Wm. S. Rader of the Third Congregational Church, San Francisco, stretches forth his hands over the country and pronounces a national benediction —takes for the subject of his sermon " Our President and the Lessons of His Tour."

Mr. Rader believes that it is not inappropriate for the pulpit to give expression to its views upon the character and career of one who is at the head of our government, and indeed he draws a beautiful lesson from a theme politic, apparently colorless save for its patriotic glow.

Having spoken of the enthusiasm and affiliation of the American people in general and having dwelt on the splendid spectacle of the North and South clasping hands in perfect union, Dr. Rader passes to a more touching aspect of the tour—to an aspect which most affects us all —to the illness of the President's wife. From this he draws the two goodly lessons :

" The one is the proximity of joy and sorrow. No man can escape the issues of life and death. Trouble knocks at the White House and the hovel. It enters the palace and the hut. In nearly every bouquet you will find the thorn. In this national floral offering President McKinley touched the thorn and the world waits with him by the bedside of his wife.

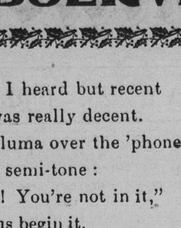
" The second lesson is that he shows us an example of domestic solicitude and love. He has signed his name to many important state papers, but nothing has more impressed the people than his beautiful devotion to his wife. More eloquent than any of his speeches is his relation to his home. It teaches us all a lesson. The home is the thermometer of the nation, and President McKinley has raised the mercury. The home is more important than the battleship launched last Saturday. It means more to us than the navy or the army. President McKinley has opened his domestic life to us and we claim an interest in its welfare and learn its lesson. It is an impressive and solemn spectacle to see the President of the United States taken suddenly from the cheering crowds to the beside of his wife, where he watches from sunset to sunrise. We sympathize with him, for the President is our President, and the White House is our house, and Mrs. McKinley is our Mrs. McKinley.

" Let us then be better citizens and better husbands and wives and more loyal to the flag."

Such sermons exalt the pulpit even in the eyes of the most skeptical and all must say with one accord this is the true spirit.

One of the best evidences of the keen interest being manifested in our insular possessions is to be found in the increased desire among young scholars to acquire the Spanish language. In the High Schools of many of our largest cities Spanish threatens to outstrip French and German in popularity. In one of the Eastern Universities where Spanish has been neglected for many years, over one hundred students have announced that they will take it up next year and in our own University of California there is a like revival of interest. One reason for this increasing eagerness to take up Spanish is due to the return of the volunteer soldier, who has been a center of Spanish influence and has spread abroad stories of Capt. Kidd's wealth and spicy tales of luxury. Those who acquire the native language are well adapted to commerical correspondance and even to-day many of San Francisco's business houses will employ none other than thorough Spanish scholars.

BLUES



Ever have them? Then we can't tell you anything about them. You know how dark everything looks and how you are about ready to give up. Somehow, you can't throw off the terrible depression.

Are things really so blue? Isn't it your nerves, after all? That's where the trouble is. Your nerves are being poisoned from the impurities in your blood.

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purifies the blood and gives power and stability to the nerves. It makes health and strength, activity and cheerfulness.

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$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

Write the Doctor.

If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

Married Twenty-Five Years Now Wants a Divorce.

Mrs. Josephine Burkhalter has instituted divorce proceedings in the Superior Court of this county against her husband J. O. Burkhalter, the contractor of Santa Rosa. In her complaint Mrs. Burkhalter alleges that her husband, who is now in Vallejo, has failed to provide for his family. Mr. and Mrs. Burkhalter were married in Visalia, over twenty-five years ago, and it has taken them that long to find out that " marriage is a failure." Judge John Brown is attorney for the plaintiff.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Superior Court Notes,

Owing to the absence of Judge Burnett, who is holding court in Lake county this week for Judge Crump, disqualified, Judge Dougherty presided in both departments. The following are the proceedings had in both divisions Monday.

DEPARTMENT ONE.

Estate Broder Frellson, final account settled and distribution ordered.

Estate of Hiram Fay, final account settled and distribution ordered ; $25 allowed for attorney's fees.

Estate of Anton Pischel, assignment of estate ; order made.

Estate of John H. DeBolt, letters of administration granted to Lenora DeBolt, bond in the sum of $1500.

Estate of Willard R. Mead, letters of administration granted to Samantha Mead, bond fixed at $1500.

Estate of Emil Jean B. Schirmer, letters granted to J. A. Rey and Henrietta H. Schirmer, bond fixed at $5,000.

Estate of Belle C. Smith, petition to sell real estate continued to May 27th.

Estate and guardianship of Rufus Alexander and others, dropped from calendar.

The Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Healdsburg vs. Thomas M. Menihan et al., demurrer overruled ; five days to answer ; default against Menihan and Fox.

George W. Haigh vs. G. M. Bosworth, continued to May 27th.

Santa Rosa Bank vs. J. F. Burgess, default of defendant for failure to answer.

Santa Rosa Bank vs. White, submitted and taken under advisement.

Grace Harper vs. Joseph W. Harper, divorce granted on charge of desertion ; plaintiff given care of child.

J. H. Brush vs. George F. King, set for June 11th.

DEPARTMENT TWO.

Ida Bell Palmer vs. Great Eastern Quicksilver Mining Company, continued to May 27 ; permission granted to amend demurrer on or before that date.

C. A. Reibli vs. F. P. Grace, continued to May 27th.

J. F. Sims vs. Petaluma Gas Light Company, set for June 6th.

Charles Martin vs. Julia Barry, set for June 13th, by consent.

Fisherman's Bay Commercial Company vs. Henry McMillan et al., continued to May 27th.

Lulu May Rhodes vs. Arthur Rhodes set for May 8th by consent.

E. S. Shaver vs. James Armstrong, set for 31st by consent.

Benet Bros. vs. Gentle Anna Consolidated Mining Company, judgment against A. and H. W. Cadwell for $526 81 and $50 attorney's fees.

The Excitement Not Over.

The rush at the drug store still continues and daily scores of people call for a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Kemp's Balsam, the standard family remedy, is sold on a guarantee and never fails to give entire satisfaction. Price 25c. and 50c.

LEGAL.

Notice of Time and Place for Proving Will.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA. In the Matter of the Estate of CATHARINA WALLMAN, deceased. No. 3296.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Monday, the 3rd day of June, A. D., 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, and the court room of said Superior Court, in Department One thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of said Catharina Wallman, deceased, and for the hearing by the Court of the application of George Wallman for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentery thereon.

Dated May 16th, A. D. 1901.
[SEAL.] SOMERS B. FULTON, Clerk.
By M. G. HALL, Deputy Clerk.

B. S. Wood Jr. and Emmet Seawell, Esqs., Attorneys for Petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of LUZIA STEIGER, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Luzia Steiger, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the law offices of F. A. Meyer, corner Main street and Western avenue, Petaluma, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

EDWARD STEIGER,
Administrator of the Estate of Luzia Steiger, deceased.
Dated April 16, 1901.
F. A. MEYER, Attorney for Estate.

For Malaria, Chills and Fever

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Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

The formula is plainly printed on every bottle—hence you know just what you are taking when you take Grove's. Imitators do not advertise their formula knowing that you would not buy their medicine if you knew what it contained. Grove's contains Iron and Quinine put up in correct proportions and is in a Tasteless form. The Iron acts as a tonic while the Quinine drives the malaria out of the system. Any reliable druggist will tell you that Grove's is the *Original* and that all other so-called Tasteless Chill Tonics are imitations. An analysis of other chill tonics shows that Grove's is superior to all others in every respect. You are not experimenting when you take Grove's—its superiority and excellence having long been established. Grove's is the only Chill Cure sold throughout the entire malarial sections of the United States. No Cure, No Pay. Price, 50c.

LEGAL.

Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR sale the following described real estate: Out lot No. 538, ex-city of Sonoma, embracing thirty acres more or less. Will be sold as a whole or will be subdivided to suit purchaser. Valued at $3,000. Adjoins railroad depot at Vineyard Station. Good climate, good locality and good water. All in grain. Must sell to satisfy creditors. Apply to

JACOB F. MAYER,
Administrator of Estate of Jacob G. Mayer, Deceased.

Dated Vineyard Station, Sonoma Co., Cal., April 25, 1901.

City Printing.

The Board of Trustees of Sonoma City, State of California, will receive sealed bids for doing the city printing and advertising for one year from June 5, 1901, thence ensuing, up to the hour of 8 o'clock, P. M., on June 5th, 1901, for the following work :

Legal notices and advertisements, per square of 234 ems, nonpareil or minion.

Instructions to voters, per 150.
Election tickets, in three books, bound, perforated, stubbed and numbered, per 300.
Sample election ballots, per 150.
Nomination of candidates, per 150.
Poll Tax receipts, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100.
City Warrants, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100.
Tax Collector's receipts, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100.
Blanks for bills, printed on both sides, per 100.
License blanks, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100.
Assessment blanks, printed on both sides, per 100.
Letter heads, plain, per 100.
Letter heads, printed per 100.
Envelopes, plain, per 100.
Envelopes, printed, per 100.

Bids are to be made on each item separately, and the lowest bidder on each item to be given the contract for that particular item.

All job work to be done in the best manner possible and on good paper. Newspaper to be wholly printed and published in Sonoma City. All work to be done to the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees.

The successful bidder or bidders will be required to furnish a bond in the sum of $100 for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees.
JOE B. SMALL,
City Clerk.

Sonoma, May 8th, 1901.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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WEST SIDE DEPOT,

EL VERANO, CAL.

Fine Wines, Liquors & Cigars

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Regular Meals, 25c.
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First-Class BAR attached to the Hotel.

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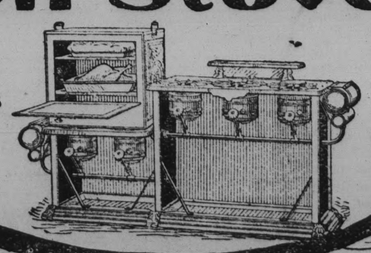

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The Index-Tribune

SONOMA, MAY 25, 1901.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Local Brevities

The Daily Call and Index-Tribune $7 per year.

For Sale—A good Phaeton in perfect condition. Price $40.00. Inquire at this office. *

Shooting notices for sale at this office. Ones that will keep hunters off your place. *

FOR YOUR SPRING HAT try Mrs. English Warren, Fashionable Milliner, 852 Main street, Petaluma *

Sun Shades, just the thing for summer. Have one put on your wagon by Wilson, Main street, Petaluma. *

Have a Sun Umbrella put on your wagon. Call at Wilson's, Main street, Petaluma, and see how they work. Finest thing in summer. *

Ciucci & Martinoni, proprietors of the Toscano Hotel, are having a French range put in. The work is being done by George Bulotti.

The Alumni of the High School met on Tuesday of this week and decided to give a luncheon to the class of 1901 at the High School building.

Help Wanted—Salesmen to sell $20 typewriter. Will do equally as good work as any $100 machine. Good pay to hustlers. 710 New York Life Bld'g, Chicago. *

For Sale—A $50 life scholarship in Ayers' Business College, San Francisco, will be sold at a sacrifice. This is the best Business College on the Pacific Coast. Apply at this office.

Two picnic trains, consisting of an engine and eleven passenger coaches each, passed through here over the California Northwestern road Thursday *en route* to the Glen Ellen Park.

Preparations are in progress for observing Childrens' Day at the Congregational Church on Sunday, June 9th. All the children of the Sunday School will participate and a happy time is anticipated.

Lawyer Robt. Poppe took in the launching of the battleship Ohio in San Francisco bay Saturday. Bob, who was on the Ukiah, which was loaded down with sight-seers, says he didn't get within two miles of the boat. He returned home disgusted.

John Laux was bitten on the hand by a venomous spider last Monday. The hand became badly inflamed and swoolen and for a time it was feared serious results would follow the effects of the bite. The swelling, however, was reduced and the hand is now on the mend.

J. W. Gibson and John R. Allen, the newly-appointed Justice of the Peace and Constable of Glen Ellen Township, filed their official bonds in the sum of $1,000 each with the County Clerk on Tuesday last. The bonds were approved by Judge Dougherty and both are now ready for business.

Strike Reaches Sonoma.

Julius Fochetti's horse-shoer went out on a strike, one day this week, *a la* the workers in the Union Iron Works. He demanded $4 per day and that his working hours be cut down from ten to nine. As Mr. Fochetti is running his own shop these days and has to work about fourteen hours a day to make $4 himself he did not accede to his horse-shoer's demands and he (the horse-shoer, not the boss) walked out.

Off for Nome.

Gus Cornelius sailed from San Francisco Tuesday for Nome, where he will work in the gold mines for the Messrs. Anderson. C. F. Anderson, one of the partners, leaves for Nome to-day.

There Are 2400

Disorders incident to the human frame, of which a majority are caused or promoted by impure blood.

The remedy is simple.

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

That this medicine radically and effectively purifies the blood is known to every druggist, known to hundreds of thousands of people who themselves or by their friends have experienced its curative powers.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Will do you good. Begin to take it today.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Miss Mabel Lowell is home from Berkeley.

Dr. A. M. Thomson visited Santa Rosa last Tuesday afternoon.

N. R. Hansen of Glen Ellen was in town Wednesday.

Peter Keil and Ed. Burris drove to Santa Rosa Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Malstead are here visiting Sonoma relatives.

Will Clewe went out on the Ukiah Saturday to witness the launching of the Ohio.

Will Chase is up from San Francisco and will spend several weeks on the Chase Stock Farm.

Harry J. Pooler visited San Francisco last Tuesday and took in the Presidential festivities.

Miss Etta McGimsey and Miss Annie Pemberton returned from San Francisco on Sunday evening.

Chas. Filippini, the well-known dairyman, was in town Saturday for the first time in several months.

Miss Julie Granice will start for Fresno Monday morning where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Olney.

Miss Dora Burris and Miss Theo. Bates, two of Sonoma's most charming girls, are convalescent from their late illness.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Paulstine spent last Sunday in the metropolis. The Paulstines will summer in Lake county this year.

F. Harrison, lessee of the Sonoma Electric Light Company's plant, spent several days in San Francisco the past week.

The Sonoma Grammar School will turn out eight graduatees next month. Most of these will attend the High School next term.

T. J. McGimsey, U. S. Bonded Warehouse Keeper at this place, returned Sunday from a visit of several weeks on his farm in Mendocino county.

Capt. Johnson and his three daughters spent several days in San Francisco last week taking in the festivities attending the visit of President McKinley.

Mrs A. Kerner spent last week with San Francisco relatives by whom she was delightfully entertained. During her visit she saw the Neil Company in Barbara Frietchie.

Dr. D. Maclean of Maclean's Hospital, San Francisco, was in town Sunday. The doctor is making preparations to occupy with his family his country home on Broadway the coming summer.

Chas. de St. Maurice, surveyor and civil engineer, was the guest of Dr. A. M. Thompson Sunday. Mr. Maurice is a resident of Colusa county, but at present is engaged in surveying at the California Home at Eldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wainwright have returned to Sonoma and have rented the Poppe cottage on First-street East. The Wainwrights intend to remain here until after the graduation of their son who is attending High School.

Delightful Affair at Eden Dale.

Miss Evelyn Waugaman, granddaughter of the Hon. Robt. Howe, entertained a large number of her young friends last night at Eden Dale. The evening was superb and Eden Dale, always an ideal home for entertainment, was brilliantly lighted and decorated for the occasion. The broad veranda was hung with Japanese lanterns and screened by nature's prettiest foliage and in the house the handsome parlors were a wealth of floral beauty. There Miss Evelyn, the pretty young hostess, and her charming mother awaited their guests. Miss Evelyn, attired in a dainty pink organdy, before long was joined by the Young Ladies' Club who assisted her in receiving. The club girls are altogether a pretty and vivacious set and they were all becomingly gowned.

The guests had all arrived by 9 o'clock and the festivities begun. Dancing and music took up the greater part of the evening but on the side there were games, monologues, snatches of song from the garden, delightful tete-a-tetes and no lack of dainty refreshments.

For Sale—Almost new house and two-acre lot, barn, etc., located in Embarcadero, for sale for $1100. This is a fine piece of property for the headquarters of a sporting club or a public resort. For further particulars inquire of H. H. Granice, Sonoma.

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Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA VS. SONOMA COUNTY.

Appeal Taken to Recover $6,000 For the Care of Children in the California Home.

The Attorney General of California, the Hon. Tirey L. Ford, intends to take an appeal from the order of the Superior Court of this county in the action of the State, through E. P. Colgan, as Controller, against the county of Sonoma, says the *Press Democrat*. In this action the State sought to recover from the county the sum of about $6,000 for the care and maintenance of children in the Glen Ellen Home. The Superior Court sustained the defendant's demurrer and the plaintiff failed to amend its complaint. Default was entered and the county was given judgment for its costs.

Tuesday the Attorney General filed a notice of appeal in the Superior Court.

Arrested and Jailed.

Deputy Sheriff Jo. Ryan arrested a couple of hobos near this place Wednesday morning on complaint of John Douglas, who charged the "Weary Willies" with stealing a bundle containing blankets, clothing, etc. The bundle was shipped from Glen Ellen to Buena Vista station, where it was thrown off by the train hands Tuesday afternoon. It was seized and appropriated by the hobos, who were detected in the act. The stolen property was found in their possession and seeing that there was a dead sure case against them they plead guilty to a charge of petty larceny in Judge Small's court and were given thirty days in the County Jail. The prisoners, who gave the names of Frank Smith and John Miller, were taken to Santa Rosa by Officer Ryan and lodged in jail Wednesday night.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Claire Hope spent Thursday in the metropolis.

E. E. Thompson and family left for Mariposa last Wednesday.

Mrs. Mollie Pohley spent several days in San Francisco this week.

Mrs. George Gies visited relatives in the metropolis last Wednesday.

Mrs. A Sherman visited her son William in the metropolis one day this week.

L. L. Lewis and family of Sacramento are visiting on their farm west of town.

Mrs. Millie Bates was a passenger on the north-bound California Northwestern Monday.

Mrs. N. Commery of San Francisco has been spending the week with her cousin Mrs. Millie Bates.

Mrs. Mary E. Gies of San Francisco was the guest several days last week of Mr. and Mrs. George Gies.

John Stademan took Sunday afternoon's train for San Francisco. He returned home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Carrie Carpenter of Dixon, Solano county, has been here this week visiting her uncle H. C. Culberson.

Mrs. Emma Wright, who has been here visiting her mother Mrs. Hope for the past six weeks, returned Thursday to her home in Spokane Falls, Washington.

Miss C. C. Granice is up from Berkeley for a short vacation. She will attend the Summer school of the University during June and July and will again enter the University in August for a post graduate course.

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Does the Baby Thrive

If not, something must be wrong with its food. If the mother's milk doesn't nourish it, she needs SCOTT'S EMULSION. It supplies the elements of fat required for the baby. If baby is not nourished by its artificial food, then it requires

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Half a teaspoonful three or four times a day in its bottle will have the desired effect. It seems to have a magical effect upon babies and children. A fifty-cent bottle will prove the truth of our statements.

Should be taken in summer as well as winter.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

TWELVE COUNTY CLERKS SINCE 1849.

Eight of Them Are Still Living.

Every page of the old records contained in the office of the County Clerk relates some interesting story of the early history of Sonoma county, says the *Republican*. Many of the records that formed a part of the office away back in the early fifties are still in a good state of preservation, and from their sacred pages much that is of an entertaining character can be produced.

Twelve men have filled the office of County Clerk since the county was first organized. Of this number the present incumbent is the only Republican to occupy that position. The eleven men before him were not all Democrats. Before the Republican party had its birth one or two candidates on an Independent ticket were elected. Since the Civil War, however, Somers B. Fulton is the only Republican elected County Clerk, and he was defeated at the polls the first race he made.

The late Dr. John Hendley was the first Clerk of the county. He was appointed to the position when the county was first organized, and was elected to succeed himself one year later. He retired from the Clerk's office in 1852, and was succeeded by N. McC. Menefee, who served until 1856. Dr. Hendley was an uncommonly popular man during his lifetime, however, as the records of the county show that he served five terms as County Treasurer after leaving the Clerk's office. Menefee was succeeded in 1856 by W. H. Crowell, who served two years, and was succeeded by Frank W. Shattuck, who occupied the berth until 1860.

W. L. Anderson followed Shattuck, and with the exception of Somers B. Fulton, he occupied the office longer than any other man who ever held it. Anderson was elected four times in succession, leaving the office in 1868. He is still living at Concord, Contra Costa county. In 1868 William R. Morris was elected Clerk and served till 1872—the year that Horace Greeley made his memorable campaign. J. T. Fortson succeeded Morris in 1872, and he served until 1877. Then came R. A. Thompson, who served until 1884. J. F. Mulgrew followed Thompson. He served two terms, or until 1888. L. W. Juilliard followed Mulgrew, occupying the office for four years.

William F. Wines, the present chief deputy in the office of Tax Collector Grace, defeated Somers B. Fulton in 1892, and two years later Mr. Fulton turned the tables on Mr. Wines, defeating him for the place and receiving the credit for being the first Republican to be elected to the office in Sonoma county. Of the twelve men who have occupied the position since 1849, W. L. Anderson, J. T. Fortson, William R. Morris, L. W. Juilliard, R. A. Thompson, J. F. Mulgrew, William F. Wines and Somers B. Fulton are still living.

E. W. Grove

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Schellville Siftings.

The San Luis School will hold a picnic at Maxwell's Grove on Thursday, May 30th.

The Sunday School children of the M. E. Church hold a picnic at Maxwell's Grove to-day.

Mrs. Walkup and Miss Lydia Walkup will spend the coming month at Eden Dale. They come to the valley to enjoy our delightful climate and the mineral baths at Boyes' Hot Springs.

Prof. and Mrs. F. T. Bioletti of Berkeley were made happy on Friday of last week by the presence of a brand new little baby girl. Prof. Bioletti is well-known in this valley where he resided previous to accepting a professorship in the State University.

A number of new books have lately been added to the library of the San Luis school. This is one of the best equipped district schools in the valley. Besides a good library the school has a fine Chickering piano, new furniture, charts and other conveniences. The attendance of scholars is large and it has always been the aim of the Trustees to keep the school in touch with the higher requirements of the school law. Miss Margaret Burke is the efficient teacher of the school.

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THE ROSE CANNERY.

Proposition to Locate Here Hanging Fire—Petaluma is our Rival.

Messrs. Rose & Suydam, representing the Rose Cannery, have not as yet concluded negotiations with our local Board of Trade to locate their cannery in this town. It is true that they have intimated that they would accept Sonoma's offer, but so far no papers have been signed. Had Petaluma not entered the field to secure the cannery when it was almost within our grasp, the enterprise would have been ours.

As the matter now stands, however, it is an even chance as between Sonoma and Petaluma securing the prize.

This town will do all it has agreed to do in the matter of securing the cannery. It now remains to be seen whether or not it can be lured away from us by Petaluma's seductive offers.

Petaluma's Selfishness.

MR. EDITOR:

I think it about time for the self-respecting citizens of Petaluma, who we are quite sure have some regard for the decencies and amenities of life, to call a halt on the efforts of a number of thoughtless people in their town to wrest the Rose Cannery, which the Sonoma Board of Trade had almost secured, from our grasp by offering the cannery people a bigger cash bonus to secure the cannery for Petaluma than Sonoma can possibly raise.

I do not object to Petaluma having a cannery, but think it is unneighborly and unfair, to say the least, for our sister town to try and thwart the plans and hopes of this community in establishing in its midst a much needed industry and certainly one of more vital importance to the future prosperty of Sonoma than Petaluma, which is not a fruit center, and that, too, after Sonoma's Board of Trade had entered into negotiations with the Rose Cannery people to have them locate here.

If Petaluma wants a cannery let her people go find a canner. There are plenty of them who are not already half-way obligated to locate in Sonoma.

FRUIT RAISER.

The annual convention of the Sonoma-Napa District Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will be held in Santa Rosa, June 21st, 22d and 23d.

Board of Education.

President Ben Weed, Dr. W. A. Finley, Miss Minnie Coulter, Miss Ella Cavanaugh and Charles A. Pool, members of the County Board of Education, attended a Board meeting at the Court House on Saturday, when further arrangements were made for the holding of the June examination for teachers' certificates. Other routine business was transacted at the meeting.

A. Pinelli sold 125 cords of wood to Petaluma parties last week. Mr. Pinelli during the past winter has cut between 600 and 700 cords of wood, which he disposed of in a ready market at a good price.

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Castoria	25c
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Arizona Forests.

Arizona is supposed to be almost an unbroken desert, but in reality it has the largest unbroken pine forest in the United States, covering an area of over 8,000 square miles. This timber is usually found at an altitude of between 5,500 and 7,500 feet. The total quantity of pine timber fit for sawing purposes within the boundaries of the territory amounts to 10,000,000,000 feet, which can supply the needs of a populous state for more than a century.

Highest Cross in the World.

The highest cross in the world is said to be that which caps the loftiest peak of the Harz mountains. The cross is in reality a tower, and it commands a magnificent view of the country around. The height of the tower is 120 feet, and it stands on a mountain 1,731 feet above the sea level. A stair of 200 steps leads to the top of the cross, but there is an elevator of which people may avail themselves who for any reason wish to avoid the long climb.

Buying Molasses.

She was newly arrived from the old country, and she went to the store for sirup.

"Give me a pound of treacle," she said to the grocer.

"Treacle!" repeated the grocer. "You mean molasses."

"Possibly."

"We don't sell it by the pound, but by the measure."

"Oh, then give me a yard!"—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

A WORTHY SUCCESSOR.

"Something New Under the Sun."

All Doctors have tried to cure CATARRH by the use of powders, acid, gases, inhalers and drugs in paste form. Their powders dry up the mucuous membranes, causing them to crack open and bleed. The powerful acids used in the inhalers have entirely eaten away the same membranes that their makers have aimed to cure, while pastes and ointments cannot reach the disease. An old and experienced practitioner who has for many years made a close study nd specialty of the treatment of CATARRH, has at last perfected a Treatment which when faithfully used, not only relieves at once, but permanently curres CATARRH, by removing the cause, stopping the discharges, and curing all inflammation. It is the only remedy known to science that actually reaches the afflicted parts. This wonderful remedy is known as "SNUFFLES the GUARANTEED CATARRH CURE" and is sold at the extremely low price of One Dollar, each package containing internal and external med cine sufficient for a full month's treatment and everything necessary to its perfect use.

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Conrad Futterer, the Tailor, has removed from the Clewe building into one of the Wegner flats near the Western Union Telegraph office, where he will be pleased to see his old friends and patrons.

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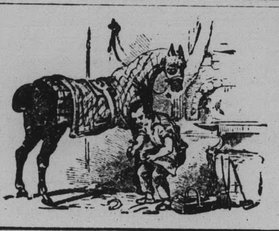

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The Conductor's Ready Answer.

The Metropolitan Street Railway company has in its employ a philosopher in the person of a Broadway conductor. It was late in the evening, and his car on its up town trip had reached the vicinity of the city hall. As it passed one of the taller office buildings a stout woman, clutching him by the arm, exclaimed:

"Oh, conductor, how many stories high is that building?"

"'Leven," laconically replied the conductor, without so much as an upward glance. The woman sank back with a sigh of satisfaction.

Just then a small man with a large traveling bag rushed in almost out of breath.

"I say, conductor," he gasped, "what time can I get to the Grand Central depot?"

"'Leven," was the quiet reply.

"That's good," commented the small man, evidently relieved.

At this juncture another man climbed aboard that wanted to know about what time the car would reach the Gilsey House.

"'Leven," again replied the conductor, with a weary look.

When questioned as to the uniformity of his answers, he replied:

"Yes. You see, if you hesitate about answering 'em, they git worried, but if you have an answer ready they're satisfied. Now, about this time of night, I always say ''Leven.' It's a good, handy number, easy to say. Other times I use other numbers. I allus have a lot of stock answers on hand. It saves time and trouble."—New York Sun.

The Queen and Jenny Lind.

There is a pretty story told of Queen Victoria and Jenny Lind which shows how the modesty of two women, the queen of England and the queen of song, caused a momentary awkwardness which the gentle tact of the singer overcame.

It was on a night when Jenny Lind was to sing at Her Majesty's Opera House that the queen made her first public appearance after the memorable Chartist day.

For the great artist, too, this was a first appearance, for it was the beginning of her season at a place where the year before she had won unparalleled fame. It happened that the queen entered the royal box at the same moment that the prima donna stepped upon the stage. Instantly a tumult of acclamation burst forth.

Jenny Lind modestly retired to the back of the stage, waiting till the demonstration of loyalty to the sovereign should subside. The queen, refusing to appropriate to herself that which she imagined to be intended for the artist, made no acknowledgment.

At length, when the situation became embarrassing, Jenny Lind, with ready tact, ran forward to the footlights and sang "God Save the Queen," which was caught up at the end of the solo by the orchestra, chorus and audience. The queen then came to the front of her box and bowed, and the opera was resumed.

Why Roads Are Crooked In China.

The Chinese road is private property, a strip taken from somebody's land. This is done much against the will of the owner, since he not only loses the use of it, but also still has to pay taxes on it.

One consequence is that it is wide enough for only one vehicle, and carts can pass one another only by trespassing on the cultivated land. To prevent this the farmers dig deep ditches by the roadside. As the surface wears away and the dust blows off it gradually grows lower, and after awhile it becomes a drain for the surrounding fields. A current forms in the rainy season, which still further hollows it out, and thus has arisen the proverb that a road a thousand years old becomes a river.

Those whose lands are used for roads naturally prefer to have the roads run along the edge of their farms instead of cutting across them, and this accounts for the fact that Chinese roads are often so crooked that one may have to go a considerable distance to reach a place that is in reality but a few miles away. This always interests the stranger.—Church Eclectic.

How the Car Got There.

The other day at Twenty-sixth street an inspector "hopped" on the front platform of a Madison avenue electric car bound down town. He said to the motorman:

"Where the dickens is this car goin?"

"Why, to the Brooklyn bridge, of course."

"Get off and look at yer signs."

The motorman did so and discovered that the sign on the front hood of the car read, "One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street," the sign on the right side of the roof read, "Second avenue," and the sign on the rear hood, "Astor place." The conductor and motorman between them having adjusted the signs, the inspector permitted the car to proceed.—Electrical Review.

Shaves of a Lifetime.

Beard appears to grow at the same rate and to follow the same rules of personal conduct as the hair of the head. So if a man began shaving when he was 16 and lives to be 70 years old he will have cut more than a little bit off the top. If he could keep in position all he has thrown away, a head of hair 35 feet long and a beard 27 feet long, all in one bunch, would enable him to travel with a circus summers and sit in a store window to advertise a hair restorer in the winter.—Ainslee's Magazine.

Artistic.

Sue—You said you were going to marry an artist, and now you are engaged to marry a dentist!

Flo—Well, isn't he an artist? He draws from real life.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

A Few Pointers.

The recen statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die of consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25c and 50c. For sale by all druggists.

Missed His Chance.

During his lecture to children at the Society of Arts Mr. E. Walter Maunder told his audience an instructive story. A certain lecturer on astronomy observed that some of the students were not paying due attention. "Mr. So-and-so," he called out to one of them, "will you be good enough to tell us of what the corona is composed?" The student addressed hesitated for a moment and then blurted out, "I did know, sir, but I've forgotten." The professor looked at him and then exclaimed: "What a calamity! Here we have the only man who ever knew the composition of the corona, and he has forgotten!"—London Chronicle.

Juvenile Logic.

Norman's mamma was something of a stickler for propriety, and she was not a little annoyed that it seemed impossible to make the boy give his uncle's name the customary handle. One day after the little fellow had met with a severer reproof than usual for this shortcoming of his he said:

"I mean to be good, mamma, but I don't see why I should say Uncle Harry. I don't say Uncle Papa, do I?"—New York Mail and Express.

More In Sorrow Than Anger.

"Judge," said the lady who was accused of battering her husband, "it is true that I struck him, but the weapon I used proves that I did so more in sorrow than in anger."

"What did you hit him with?"

"A sadiron, your honor."—Baltimore American.

Architectural.

"I am disappointed in 'Uncle Tom's Cabin.'"

"Well, what did you expect? A Queen Anne villa?"—Detroit Journal.

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Miss Florence Newman, who has been a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism, says Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the only remedy that affords her relief. Miss Newman is a much respected resident of the village of Gray, N. Y., and makes this statement for the benefit of others similarly afflicted. This liniment is for sale by F. Duhring. *

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A Minister's Mistake.

A city minister was recently handed a notice to be read from his pulpit. Accompanying it was a clipping from a newspaper bearing upon the matter. The clergyman started to read the extract and found that it began: "Take Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure." This was hardly what he expected and, after a moment's hesitation, he turned it over, and found on the other side the matter intended for the reading.

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